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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): KISHIMOTO, et al.
Serial No.: 09/842,001
Filed: April 26, 2001
For: STORAGE OPERATING DATA CONTROL SYSTEM
Group: 2141
Examiner: K. Shingles

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 22, 2005

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the first month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed April 21, 2005, it being noted that an Amendment After Final Rejection was filed June 17, 2005. A Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 520.40043X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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